UTILITY PATENT APPLICATION **UNDER 37 CFR 1.53(b)**

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FOR: MOTOR CONTROL APPARATUS AND MOTOR CONTROL METHOD

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	Certified copy of Japanese Patent Application No. 2003-102480					
\boxtimes	10 sheets of formal drawing.					
\boxtimes	An assignment of the invention to NISSAN MOTOR CO., LTD.					
	and the assignment recordation fee.					
	An associate power of attorney.					
	A verified statement to establish small entity status under 37 CFR 1.9 and 37 CFR 1.27.					
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